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### Letter to Philander Chase

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London, March 22<sup>d</sup>. 1824.  
K. U. 240322

Right Rev<sup>d</sup> & Dear Sir

We heard, with much  
concern, of your indisposition, and of the little  
hope which we entertain of again meeting your  
beloved Son in this world. May God of His goodness  
graciously support you under every trial!

I wrote, a few days' since, to Mr Wiggan, as I  
was not certain but that you would have left  
Manchester before my Letter would arrive;  
which, from yours of the 20<sup>th</sup> from Colbrook, received  
this morning, appears to have been the case. Your  
Letter gives us much pleasure in reporting your  
better health, and I trust we shall see you in  
London much recovered. I send, by the Coaches of  
this evening, as you desired, 50 Appeals to the  
Rev. J. B. Stewart, Nottingham - 50 to the Rev.  
G. B. Mitchell, Leicester - and 50 to the Rev. Mr



Harvard, Cotesbach, near Lutterworth. You,  
or some friend, will explain, I suppose, to these  
Gentlemen, the object of sending them, if you should  
not yourself see them all. The Letter only is  
come for you: it is ~~with the letter~~ enclosed. I expect, indeed,  
that Mr Wheaton will send a Letter to be  
enclosed in <sup>this</sup> ~~that~~ parcel, but it is not yet come. He  
was with me this morning, and expressed much  
desire that an agreement should be come to  
on the part of yourself, Bishop Doane, and  
himself, by which all things might proceed  
amicably, and dissensions in America prevented.  
The outline is, that the Contributions given to  
the Ohio Seminary, or the Connecticut College, or the  
General Theological Seminary, up to the date of the  
agreement, shall be appropriated to those respective  
Institutions; but that from that time a joint  
Appeal shall be made to the friends in this country



of the American Church, and that the  
proceeds of such Appeal shall be divided  
equally among the three Institutions, but  
that if such equal division should not add  
enough to the Ohio Subscription to make it  
10,000 dollars, then that sum should be made  
up out of the thirds of the other two Institutions.  
Mr Wheaton tells me that Bishop Hobart will  
agree to this plan. If so, it might  
bead, while it would secure your  
more immediate object, to provide for peace  
and harmony. But as you are not on your way  
to London, this can be finally settled when you  
arrive. Philip Hobart is, however, I believe,  
on the point of visiting the Continent.

I am happy to hear that Lord  
Kenyon subscribes. I have not received the lists from  
York, Leeds, Leeds, & other places; so that I cannot  
yet print any names. We have laid the foundation-stone  
of the Fund by purchasing £ 300 W<sup>m</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Conder.  
My family all unite with me in the



most respectful & affectionate regards. Mrs  
Jewett, our Mother, has been confined to her bed for  
a month. her recovery is doubtful, but her faith firm  
and her mind happy in Christ her Saviour.

Alice Chase Collection  
Rev J Pratt  
March 22 1824

Right Rev. Bishop Chase

I am ever, Right Rev. & Dear Sir,  
Very faithfully Yours  
J. Pratt